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The Daily Press.

HONGKONG, SEPTEMBER 23RD, 1911.

The authority of the Government seems
to have been successfully asserted at
Chengtu, the capital of the province of
Szechuan, in Western China, where a state
of rebellion has existed for several weeks in
protest against the Government's decision to
nationalise the projected railway from Han-
kow to Szechuan and to construct the line
with capital borrowed from foreign sources.
With the reasons for such revolts against the
Government, as they are stated in the
Chinese papers, it is difficult to withhold
some measure of sympathy, or at least not
to find for these ebullitions an excuse in the
ignorance of the populace. It is represented
that whatever restrictions may be con-
tained in the loan agreements, the very
fact of the investment of foreign capital
in the railways, with some measure of
foreign control, creates the danger of foreign
aggression which has long been staring China
in the face. Enlightened Chinese may tell
their countrymen that there are few countries
in the world where foreign capital is not
largely invested in railways; but this does
little apparently to mollify the miscontents.
Either there is at the back of their minds
the presentiment, which they would
hesitate to confess—that the Government of
China is impotent to resist a "barbarian"
attempt to possess the country, or there are
other motives, of more personal and less

patriotic nature, which secretly stimulate
their opposition. Indeed, it is very prob-
able, we think, that if it were possible
to fathom the springs of these revolts
we should find they arise from con-
siderations less deserving of sympathy
than are the reasons advanced in the news-
papers. It is quite an easy matter in China
for a sham patriot to surround himself with
a host of ignorant men willing to oppose
and subvert, if possible, the authority of
the Government, and there is good cause
for doubting the patriotism of those who
are the real promoters of these disturbances.
Those who have an intimate acquaintance
with the way in which railways have been
built by Chinese with purely Chinese
capital could throw much light on these
agitations. We have heard of capital being
subscribed on condition that the subscribers
obtain certain specified contracts. We have
heard of sleepers being provided, in such
circumstances, that no conscientious engineer
would accept; of inferior locomotives being
supplied even before the rails were laid, and
various other stories of a similar character,
all pointing to "quick profits" at the expense
of the railway. We are not aware whether this
"squeeze-pidgin" prevails to any considerable
extent in connection with the great trunk
railways the Government has decided to
nationalise; but if there are such cases it
can readily be seen how anxious such men
would be to thwart and, if possible, defeat
the purpose of the Government. So far as
the people of Kwangtung are concerned it
may be said that while they have been
deeply interested in all that has been hap-
pening in Szechuan there does not seem to be
any inclination to emulate the example of the
people in the Western province. This may to
some extent be due to the extraordinary vigi-
lance of the Canton authorities of late, but
we may hope that the people generally in
Canton have come to take a saner view of the
position. In the Canton-Kowloon railway they
are provided with an eminently useful object
lesson in the value of rapid communications
which would probably never have been pro-
vided if there had been, a few years ago, the
short-sighted opposition to foreign capital
which has prevailed more recently; and the
arrangements which have been made for the
working of this line should go far to dispel
those silly fears of foreign aggression which
the ultra-patriots and unscrupulous specu-
lators have deemed it to their advantage to
preach.

An Indian watchman was robbed while he
was on duty on Thursday night. Somebody
relieved him of 13 rupees while he was asleep
in the doorway.

The Colonial Secretary's Office informs us
that the quarantine restrictions imposed against
the port of Hongkong by Singapore have been
withdrawn with effect from the 7th September.

A million-dollar gift to the endowment fund
of the American Board of Commissioners for
Foreign Missions, which has its headquarters
in Boston, is announced by the secretary of the
New York branch. The source of the gift is
not named.

We have received an advance copy of the
programme for the Hongkong Gymkhana
Club's fifth meeting next Saturday. The en-
tries compare favourably with the previous
meetings, and given fine weather an interesting
afternoon's sport should be witnessed.

The Hongkong Cricket Club are arranging
for an open air concert on the Cricket Ground
on Saturday night, the 30th inst. A capital
programme is assured, and an official announce-
ment of the concert may be expected in a few
days when the whole of the arrangements are
completed.

A Chinese woman was brought before the
Magistrate yesterday and remanded on a charge
of manslaughter. The allegation is that she
acted as a midwife without possessing the neces-
sary qualifications, and as the result of her
action she caused the death of a woman whom
she was attending.

A man was arrested on Thursday by a Chinese
luncheon who discovered him selling type to a
marine hawk. He was proved to be one of the
employees of the China Mail, and on being
brought before Mr. Hazell at the Magistrate's
yesterday he was sentenced to two months' im-
prisonment with hard labour and to be exposed
in the stocks for four hours.

The Governor-General of the Philippines
has expressed the opinion that the rice famine
in the islands should not be of long duration, as
several of the provinces are already preparing
to harvest their crops. Mr. Forbes favours the
view that the government should buy some of
the rice now on sale and sell it to the people
before a prohibitive price is reached.

A shop coolie who went the other day to lodge
\$385 in the bank met a man who asked him to
change a bundle of notes for him and he would
give him a liberal commission. Dazzled with
the prospect of adding to his wealth he took the
bundle handed him, leaving his own as a pledge
that he would return. Of course, the bundle
contained bogus notes, and when he went back
to the place he found that the man was missing.

Mr. Newton W. Gilbert, Vice-Governor of
the Philippine Islands, has returned to Manila
after a holiday at Home.

A ship's officer has reported to the police that
while under the influence of liquor on Wednes-
day night he lost a watch and chain, money and
other articles to the value of \$170. He says that
near the King Edward Hotel he met a coolie
who spoke a little English. The coolie took
him for a walk and he remembers nothing
further than waking up on the grass in front
of the Colonial Office.

An inquiry was conducted by Mr. F. A.
Hazell at the Magistrate's yesterday into the
circumstances attending the death of a Chinese-
man who jumped from a building during a
gambling raid on September 11th. The jury
was as follows:—Messrs. J. Ferguson, A. F.
Guillet and C. M. S. Soares. Medical and
other evidence was called, and the jury returned
a verdict of "Death by misadventure."

At the Marine Magistrate's Court yesterday,
before Commander C. W. Beckwith, R.N., the
masters of the steam launches *Wai Fung* and
Ping Po were charged with disobeying and dis-
regarding the rules and regulations of the
Harbour-Master. The defendants' launches, it
was proved, were third and fourth in a row of
launches which were lying alongside the fore-
most gangway of the *a.s. Lightning*. His
Worship fined the master of the *Ping Po* \$5
and the master of the *Wai Fung*, against whom
there were two previous convictions, \$10 or 14
days' imprisonment.

SUPREME COURT.

Friday, September 22nd.

IN SUMMARY JURISDICTION.
BEFORE HIS HONOUR MR. H. H. J.
GOMPERTZ (ACTING CHIEF JUSTICE).

NOT A RICH COUNTRY.

Al. Men and King Cheong & Co. sued C.
Agostinelli to recover \$79.40.

Mr. Reader Harris, who appeared for the
plaintiff, said defendant admitted the debt
and offered instalments of \$10 a month, which
plaintiff was not prepared to accept. They
understood that he was paid a salary of \$165
a month, and were agreeable to accept instal-
ments of \$25 monthly.

His Lordship asked defendant if he got free
board and lodgings.
Defendant said he received a salary of \$90 a
month, and \$30 was deducted from this for
board and lodgings.

His Lordship (to Mr. Harris)—Will your
clients accept \$15 a month?

Mr. Harris—They are not prepared to do that,
but possibly the defendant's father would share
in his trouble for a while and add another \$5 a
month.

His Lordship—It is not a very rich country,
you know.

An order was made against the defendant for
the payment of \$15 a month and costs.

TECHNICAL INSTITUTE.

In June last an examination was held at the
Institute for Pitman Shorthand Certificates.
The examination was conducted by the Local
Examination Committee of the Pitman Institute.

The results are as follows:—
3rd Class or Elementary Certificates:—James
A. Lop, Chan Kam-ai, Ho Ying-kwan, Leung
Hin, Li Kwok-ming, Norman L. Ralston,
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1st Class or Speed Certificates (60 words
per minute):—A. Maria Carvalho, Olive Lee
and Tan Chiu-Fong. (60 words per minute):
Robert Drude, F. O. Gutierrez, John Moraes
Max Mayer* (Full Certificate), Daniel Rozario.

All the above are Technical Institute students
except those marked *, who belong to St. Joseph's
College.

TYPHOON WARNING.

The telegram quoted below was received
at the American Consulate-General, Hongkong,
from the Manila Observatory at 10.15 this
morning:—
"Cyclone or Typhoon E of Northern Luzon
moving W. or W.N.W."

RICKSHAS ON BATTERY PATH.

Mr. T. Brayfield was summoned at the
Magistrate's yesterday before Mr. J. R. Wood
with allowing his rickshas to proceed up Battery
Path in contravention of traffic regulations.

His Worship—The summons was fixed for
this morning. How is it you failed to appear?

Defendant—I was here at half-past nine, but
found no one here.

His Worship—You should have waited till
the summons was called at 10.20. Do you
admit the offence?

Defendant—I admit it, your Worship.

His Worship—You are fined \$3.

LAUNCH OF AN ARGENTINE DREADNOUGHT.

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Massachusetts, were the scene on August
27th of the launching of the *Rivadavia*, one of
the two Argentine battleships the contracts for
which were awarded to American firms 18
months ago. The ceremony was witnessed by
the Argentine Minister, whose wife acted as
sponsor, and by several high officials of the
American Navy. The President telegraphed
his congratulations on the "successful launch-
ing of an American shipyard of the largest
battleship in the world," adding a hope that the
vessel might be used in the interests of peace
only.
The *Rivadavia* is 585ft. long, and her dis-
placement when completed will be 25,600 tons.
She is the first foreign warship to be built in
American shipyards for years.

TELEGRAMS.

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

THE CANADIAN ELECTIONS.

GOVERNMENT DEFEAT—EIGHT
MINISTERS OUSTED.

RECIPROCITY REJECTED.

London, September 22nd.

Montreal telegrams dispatched at 10
o'clock last night give the returns as
follows:—

Conservatives	129
Liberals	79
	208

To be elected

The early returns indicated that the
Government would have a bare majority; the
actual landslide was unexpected.

The Opposition have gained heavily in
the Maritime provinces and in Ontario.
They won six seats in Quebec, which was
Sir Wilfrid Laurier's stronghold.

Among the defeated candidates are the
following who were Ministers in the late
Cabinet:—Hon. William S. Fielding, Hon.
William Paterson, Hon. G. P. Graham,
Hon. S. A. Fisher, Hon. Sir Fred. W.
Borden, K.C.M.G., Hon. W. L. Mackenzie
King, C.M.G., and the Hon. William
Templeman.

The Government's defeat means the re-
jection of the Reciprocity Agreement.

Mr. Fielding and Mr. Paterson were the
Ministers who negotiated the Reciprocity
Agreement.

LATER.

The Conservatives have a majority of 45,
the largest of any party since 1876.

[* Though the telegram states that eight
ministers have been defeated, only seven names
are given.—Ed.]

PRESIDENT TAFT ON RECIPROCITY AND ITS SUBSTITUTE.

London, September 22nd.

President Taft in a speech at Battlereck
yesterday afternoon reiterated his opinion
that Reciprocity was simply a trade pact by
which annexation was not even a remote
possibility. He favoured the abolition of
custom houses on the frontier, and abso-
lute free trade with the Dominion as a
substitute.

President Taft was at Kalamazoo when
he heard of the defeat of Sir Wilfrid
Laurier's party. The President was attend-
ing a Reciprocity banquet, and he
said he was greatly disappointed by the
news. "It is a good thing for both
countries," he added "but it takes two to
make a bargain, and if Canada declines we
can still go on doing business at the old
stand."

GENERAL STRIKE ON IRISH RAILWAYS.

London, September 22nd.

The Executive of the Amalgamated
Society of Railwaymen has decided to
declare a general strike on all Irish railways,
declaring that there is no alternative in
view of the unwarrantable conduct of the
Companies in ignoring the proposal of
the Amalgamated Society to discuss a
settlement.

RUSSIA'S LATE PREMIER.

London, September 22nd.

Reuter's correspondent at Kieff telegraphs
that the remains of M. Stolypin were trans-
ferred from the hospital to Pochersky
Monastery with great religious pomp. Be-
hind the catafalque walked relatives, mem-
bers of the Cabinet, and officers of State.

There was a huge procession of the public.
The fatal bullet was borne on a cushion.

The streets were strongly lined with police
and troops, but the crowd was reverential
and hushed, while many were weeping. Roses
were strewn before the cortege.

DEATH OF ARABI PASHA.

London, September 22nd.

The death of Arabi Pasha is announced.
[It will be remembered that Arabi Pasha was
the leader of the military insurrection in Egypt
in 1882, for which he was tried and sentenced
to death. The sentence was commuted by the
Khedive to perpetual exile, and he was banished
to Ceylon.]

TELEGRAMS.

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

FRANCE AND GERMANY.

SETTLEMENT IMMINENT.

London, September 22nd.

The German newspapers print various
versions of the Under-Secretary's com-
munication yesterday. While some give the
words "Two or three days" others substitute
"very soon." Anyhow it appears less definite
than the Bourse was given to understand.

The Paris newspapers, however, profess
to be officially informed that a settlement is
imminent.

LATER.

Paris telegrams semi-officially state that
the conversation yesterday between M.
Cambon and Herr von Kiderlin-Waechter
confirmed Germany's desire to come to an
agreement, presumably as soon as the
French Government have examined and
given precision to the formulae before it, if
an agreement be possible.

Arrangements are to be made for disband-
ing the time-expired men from the French
army next week.

It is announced in Paris that the dismiss-
al of the time-expired men of the German
army has begun on the frontier garrisons.

SPANISH STRIKES ENDED.

London, September 22nd.

Madrid yesterday morning was normal
apart from the absence of cabs and the non-
publication of a number of newspapers.

The police precautions continue. The
prefect of police states that no reports
of further disorders in the provinces have
been received. The censorship, however, is
of the strictest, and only official statements
are obtainable.

LATER.

Madrid telegrams state that news from the
Provinces is generally satisfactory, but there
are strike disorders in the province of
Valencia. A battalion of chasseurs on arriv-
ing at Gativa was stoned. The troops fired,
killing one and wounding four.

LATER.

Senor Canalejas, the Spanish Premier,
announced last night that the strikes every-
where have ended.

THE FRENCH GUN EXPLOSION.

London, September 22nd.

Eight deaths have resulted from the gun
accident on the French battleship *Gloire*.

AMERICAN TRUSTS DISSOLVING.

London, September 22nd.

American newspapers report that the
steel, sugar and other trusts are preparing
to dissolve. They have been legally advised
that further resistance to the anti-trust laws
is futile.

AFRICAN RAILWAY DEVELOPMENT.

London, September 22nd.

Mombasa telegrams state the railway
from Jinja to Kakindu, linking up Lake
Victoria Nyanza with the navigable
portion of the Nile is half completed. It
will reach Kakindu by the end of Novem-
ber. The section will be officially opened
in December.

TRANSPORTING ENGLISH CASTLE TO AMERICA.

London, September 22nd.

An American millionaire has bought
Tattershall Castle, in Lincolnshire, which
was built in feudal times, to re-erect it in
America. It includes some famous fifteenth
century mantlepieces. An attempt to save
the latter for the nation failed.

SIR ROBERT HART.

London, September 22nd.

The newspapers contain most detailed
obituary notices of the late Sir Robert
Hart.

The *Daily Telegraph* gives a whole page
to his biography.
The *Times* says: Sir Robert Hart's life
will go down in history as one of the
greatest monuments of British adminis-
trative capacity. His weaknesses and errors
few will deny. One of the most conspicuous
was that quality of autocracy which
left the Customs service without cohesion
and a definite policy to face the uncertain
future. Nevertheless he left an adminis-
trative record rarely excelled. It was an example
from which the Chinese could not fail to
benefit.

KOWLOON-CANTON RAILWAY.

As has already been announced, the completed
railway between Kowloon and Canton will be
officially opened on Monday, October 2nd, and
the line will be opened to traffic the following day.
Already a considerable local traffic has developed
on the British section, and an even more grati-
fying degree of success has been met on the sections
of the Chinese portion already opened to traffic.
The through running is now to be commenced,
and it is interesting to see how the
railway is to be conducted.

The time-table shows two through trains per
day, but its most interesting feature is that it
follows the French system. For instance, the
first train leaves Canton at 7.55 and reaches
Kowloon at 12.32, but the second one is
timed to depart at 14.25 (2.25 p.m.) and
to arrive at 19.22 (7.22 p.m.). Likewise
with the through trains which leave Kow-
loon, the first at 14.25 arriving at Canton at
18.44, and the second at 8 and arriving at 13.03.
There are sectional trains besides. On the
upward run one goes from Kowloon to Shek
Lung and the other to Sam Chun, while two
trains proceed from Shek Lung to Canton.
On the down run two trains go to Shek Lung,
one from thence to Sam Chun, and two from that
place to Kowloon.

The fares from the Hongkong end are quoted
in Hongkong currency, and from the Canton
end in Chinese currency. Thus the first class
fare from Hongkong to Canton is quoted at \$5,
while the same fare from Canton is shown as
\$5.40. The tariff book explains that:

"In the case of Through Fares and Rates
from Canton or Shek Lung and in the case of
Through Rates from Stations between Canton
and Shek Lung the fares and rates are quoted
in Hongkong Currency as shown in Fare Table
and in Schedules A & B and in the case of book-
ings from the above Stations the equivalent in
Chinese Currency shown in the said table and
schedules must be paid.

Whenever traffic is booked through from the
British Section Hongkong legal tender only
will be accepted in payment.

For through booking between intermediate
Stations from Shek Lung to Sam Chun on the
Chinese Section, and Stations on the British
Section the Fares and Rates quoted in the Joint
Sectional Schedules are in Hongkong Currency
in those shown on the British Section (Table
No. 3) and in Chinese Currency on the Chinese
Section (Table No. 2). On the British Section
they are the sum of the Fares or Rates from
Stations on the British Section to Sam Chun
quoted in Hongkong Currency and the Fares
and Rates from Sam Chun to Stations on the
Chinese Section in Chinese Currency converted to
Hongkong Currency at the rate of exchange
prevailing for periods agreed on between the
Administrations.

On the Chinese Section the Fares or Rates of
the Joint Sectional Schedules are the sum of the
Fares and Rates from Stations on the
Chinese Section to Sam Chun in Chinese
Currency and the fares or rates from Stations
on the British Section converted into the
equivalent in Chinese Currency at the rate of
exchange agreed on as above.

On the British Section subsidiary coinage
will be accepted in payment of accounts to the
extent for which it is legal tender, viz., Two
Dollars in silver and one Dollar in copper.

Passengers by the Through Trains from Can-
ton who wish to travel to Hongkong are request-
ed to see that they receive tickets for Hong-
kong and not for Kowloon. On giving up their
tickets prior to arrival at Kowloon, they will
receive from the ticket collector tickets for the
Star Ferry crossing, for which no charge is
made. In the case of Return Tickets holders
must retain the Inward Half of their Railway
Tickets and will be given a Return Ferry Ticket
from the Ticket Collector.

Tickets are not issued to Yauwatti or Hung
Hom by Through Express trains. Passengers
for these Stations must therefore book to Kow-
loon, but may alight at Hung Hom Station.

The general rules as to smoking, etc., are of the
usual nature, though the advice to be at the
station 20 minutes before the train starts
seems to have regard to the leisurely habits
of the village Chinese. On the British sections
regulations as to smoking and chewing are made,
and the usual hint as to not giving gratuities is
published.

Freight charges will be collected by the
sections to which they are consigned.

CHURCH NOTES.

The engagements of the Bishop of Victoria for
to-morrow are:—8 a.m., Holy Communion at the
Peak Church; 11 a.m., preach at the Cathedral.

The Rev. C. B. Shann, M.A., of the C.M.S.,
will officiate at the Peak Church at 6.30
to-morrow evening.

The Rev. Crole Rees, R.N., Chaplain of
H. M. S. *Kent*, is announced to conduct services
at the British Church at Macao at 5.30 p.m.
to-morrow.

ADMIRAL TOGO, ANTI-SUFFRAGIST.

Admiral Togo has given his views on the
Suffragist question to an American woman
interviewer. "I am not a Suffragist," he said.
"I believe women are harmed by any movement
that takes her mind off her home and children.
I believe in the higher education of women
but to me the highest education a woman can
have is that which makes her believe that her
greatest usefulness is at home and her greatest
duty towards the State is the giving to the nation
children—the future citizens. What does a
woman want with the education usually

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Admission \$1 and \$3, Ringside Seats \$5.

Bookings and Plans at the ROBINSON PIANO Co.

W. LEWIS, Promoter. Hongkong, 23rd September, 1911. [1178]

HONGKONG JOCKEY CLUB.

NOTICE.

THE HALF-YEARLY MEETING of the Club will be held on SATURDAY, the 7th October, 1911, at 12 o'clock Noon, at the Offices of the JOCKEY CLUB, on the Ground Floor of the HONGKONG CLUB ANNEX, Chater Road.

By Order, T. F. HOUGH, Clerk of the Course.

Hongkong, 23rd September, 1911. [1180]

THE DAIRY FARM COMPANY, LTD.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE FIFTEENTH ORDINARY YEARLY MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS in the above Company will be held at the Company's Town Office, 2, Lower Albert Road, Hongkong, on SATURDAY, 7th October, at 12.30 p.m., for the purpose of presenting the Report of the Directors and Statement of Accounts to 31st July, 1911.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from 1st to 7th October, 1911, both days inclusive.

By Order, M. MANUK, Acting Secretary.

Hongkong, 23rd September, 1911. [1179]

FROM EUROPE.

THE H.A.L. Steamship

"SENEGAMBIA," Captain Eckhorn, having arrived. Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed that their goods are being landed and placed at their risk in the hazardous and/or extra-hazardous Godowns of the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company, Limited, whence delivery may be obtained against Bills of Lading countersigned by the Undersigned. Optional Cargo will be carried on, unless notice to the contrary be given To-day. All Claims must be presented within ten days of the steamer's arrival here, after which date they cannot be recognised. No Claim will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 27th inst. will be subject to sale.

All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods must be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on the 26th inst., at 9.30 a.m.

No Fire Insurance will be effected by us in any case whatever.

This Steamer brings on Cargo:

Ex ss. "Norge" from Göteborg.

HAMBURG-AMERIKA LINIE, Hongkong Office.

Hongkong, 21st September, 1911. [1175]

HONGKONG CRICKET LEAGUE.

ENTRIES for the HONGKONG CRICKET LEAGUE COMPETITION, 1911/12, will close to the Undersigned on WEDNESDAY, 27th September.

Entrance Fee—10 each Team.

A. E. ASGER, Hon. Secretary and Treasurer.

Care of HONGKONG CRICKET CLUB, Hongkong, 20th September, 1911. [1170]

GEO. FENWICK & CO., LIMITED.

(In Liquidation.)

THE Creditors of the above-named Company are requested on or before the 30th day of September, 1911, to send their names and addresses, and particulars of their Debts or Claims, and the names of their Solicitors (if any) to the Undersigned, the Liquidators of the said Company, and further, if so required by Notice in writing, personally or by their Solicitors or Representatives, to come in and prove their Debts or Claims at such time and place as shall be specified in such Notice, and NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that in default thereof, such Creditors will be excluded from the benefit of any distribution before such Debts are proved.

PERCY SMITH, REITH & FLEMING, Liquidators.

Dated at Hongkong this 16th day of September, 1911.

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INTIMATIONS

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TO-DAY (SATURDAY), 23rd September, Commencing at 4 P.M.
100 yards, 220 yards, 440 yards and 800 yards Championships of the Colony, and many other Events.

MILITARY BAND in attendance on SATURDAY, 23rd September, on which day afternoon tea will be provided for Ladies.

ADMISSION: Non-members \$1 each day; Ladies 50 cents each day.
Hongkong, 18th September, 1911. [1162]

VICTORIA SKATING RINK.

THE NIGHT OF THE SEASON.

TO-NIGHT (SATURDAY), 23rd SEPT.

BOXING! BOXING!

MONSTER PROGRAMME.

15 Rounds.

IRON BOX v. KID MARRIOTT.

Bantam Championship of the Orient.

15 Rounds.

SAPPER MILES v. CORPL. CHAMPION.

K.O.Y.L.I.

Army and Navy Light-weight Champion.

Aldershot.

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Seaman COAKER v. Pte. POTTER.

H.M.S. "KENT." K.O.Y.L.I.

8 Rounds.

Pte. SMITH v. STOKER BLOGINS.

K.O.Y.L.I. H.M.S. "KENT."

4 Rounds.

LI HUNG CHANG v. Young J. JOHNSON.

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POPULAR PRICES:

Ringside \$5, Stalls \$3, Gallery \$1.

Late Trains to the Peak.

Plan and Bookings at ROBINSON PIANO Co.

Hongkong, 13th September, 1911. [1160]

HONGKONG ST. ANDREW'S SOCIETY.

THE ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

of the above Society will be held in the CITY HALL, on TUESDAY, the 26th September, 1911, at 5.30 P.M. for the purpose of receiving the Annual Report and Statement of Accounts for the year ending 31st August, and electing office-bearers for the ensuing year, &c.

A. V. MONK, Act. Hon. Secretary.

Hongkong, 20th September, 1911. [1169]

HONGKONG CLUB.

NOTICE.

THE TWENTIETH DRAWING of SIXTY-FIVE DEBENTURES of HONGKONG CLUB (1896 issue, \$100.00 each) was held in the HONGKONG CLUB HOUSE, on THURSDAY, the 14th September, 1911, when the following Debentures were drawn for Redemption:

9	274	624	1274	1588
17	284	638	1286	1644
34	285	680	1355	1659
41	366	686	1365	1684
43	403	727	1379	1689
63	429	770	1394	1710
81	457	901	1397	1728
82	471	950	1408	1730
101	494	1043	1423	1797
105	503	1062	1471	1823
148	511	1070	1529	1889
166	596	1094	1532	1902
205	614	1160	1550	1924

and will be Payable at the HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION, on SATURDAY, the 30th September, 1911, in Exchange for surrender of same.

By Order, JAMES CRAIK, Secretary.

Hongkong, 14th September, 1911. [1152]

NOTICE.

THE DRAWING of 60 DEBENTURES of the CLUB GERMANIA, Payable on SATURDAY, the 30th September, 1911, will be held at the Club at 6 o'clock P.M. on WEDNESDAY, the 27th September, 1911.

Bearers of Debentures are invited to attend the Drawing.

For the Committee, H. A. SIEBS, Hon. Secretary.

Hongkong, 19th September, 1911. [1167]

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Hongkong, 25th August, 1911. [1072]

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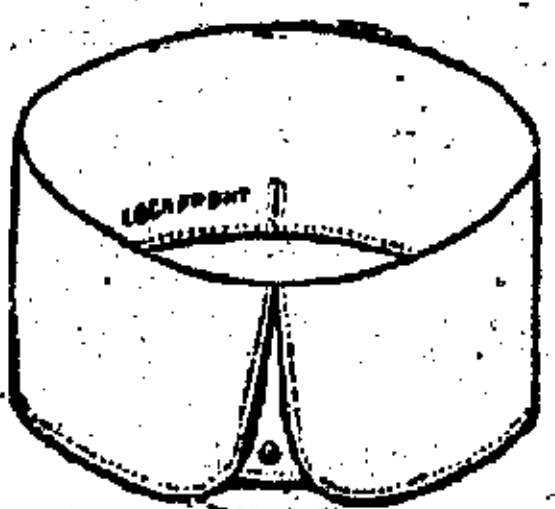
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PUBLIC COMPANY

DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

THE ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS will be held at the Company's Offices, THIS DAY (SATURDAY), the 23rd September, at Noon, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the General Managers together with a Statement of Accounts to the 30th June, 1911.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 9th to the 23rd September, 1911, both days inclusive.

DOUGLAS, LAPRAIK & Co., General Managers.

Hongkong, 23rd September, 1911. [1113]

DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that an EXTRAORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of the DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED, will be held at the Company's Offices, TO-DAY (SATURDAY), the 23rd day of September, 1911, at 12.15 o'clock in the afternoon, when the subjoined Extraordinary Resolution will be proposed.

1. That Art. 18 (3) of the Company's Articles of Association be altered by substituting the sum of \$50,000 for the sum of \$25,000 in line two.

Should the Resolution be passed by the required Majority, it will be submitted for confirmation as a Special Resolution to a Second Extraordinary Meeting which will be subsequently convened.

Dated the 15th day of September, 1911.

DOUGLAS, LAPRAIK & Co., General Managers.

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Hongkong, 24th January, 1911. [12]

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C. WOLDRING, Manager, No. 8, Des Voeux Road Central.

Hongkong, 15th August, 1909. [24]

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K. TSUDZURABARA, Manager, Hongkong, 1st May, 1911. [659]

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GEORGE HOGG, Manager, No. 9, Queen's Road, Central.

Hongkong, 21st February, 1911. [966]

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REVIEWS.

The Fankwai at Canton. By WILLIAM C. HUNTER. Hongkong: Kelly & Walsh, Ltd. Bites of China: By the same Author.

These are two volumes which every one should read. They are reprints, the books being published originally twenty-five years ago. Mr. Hunter came out to Canton from New York in 1824, when he tells us it had not yet become fashionable to place the accent on the last syllable in Canton. New York, we believe, still considers it pedantic to pronounce the name as Canton: Americans generally prefer to place the accent on the first rather than the last. Mr. Hunter came out in a sailing ship of 498 tons in 125 days from New York. We know of no books which give a more interesting account of the "Factory days" in Canton than these two. They are full of interesting anecdote, and curious information of the commercial and social life of the time. As a sample we may be permitted to quote the following from *The Fankwai at Canton*:

"The year 1830 was an unprecedented one in the annals of foreign life at Canton, by reason of the coming to the Factories of several English and American ladies: from Macao, in direct opposition to old regulations. The Mandarins were thoroughly at their wits end by so extraordinary an occurrence. 'Chop' began to circulate freely. The ladies were ordered to leave forthwith, and without one moment's delay, otherwise the 'Son of Heaven,' so considerate for all beyond the seas, would withdraw his compassion, and, and—in fact had the world been coming to an end, the authorities could not have been more thoroughly alarmed. In a letter written at the time, I find the following, dated April 8, 1830:—

"'Went in the morning to the Company's chapel with several Americans to hear the Rev. Mr. Vachell preach, and to see the 'foreign devil' females,' as the Chinamen called them. They were Mrs. Baynes, wife of the Chief of the Factory, Mrs. Robinson, and Mrs. Pearson, but she is the beauty of the party! Mrs. B. was dressed in true London style, which, much admired by us, is considered 'frightful' by the Chinese. It was quite a strange thing to see foreign ladies in the 'Celestial Empire,' an occurrence which had never before taken place! After a few days they left, but not until the Mandarins threatened to stop all trade!

"On November 12 of the same year I find the following:—

"'What will Canton turn into, and where will bachelors find rest? Nowhere. Mrs. and Miss Low and other ladies are at this moment here! The second day after they arrived several old codgers were seen in immense coats, which had been stored away in camphor trunks for ten or fifteen years, and with huge cravats on, and with what once were gloves, on their way to make visits!

"13th.—Called on the Tai-pan's wife and niece and entertained them with descriptions of local worthies such as 'Houqua,' 'Mouqua,' and 'Gowqua,' 'Man-Hop,' 'Wa-Hop,' and 'Tung-Hop'—a jumble they had never heard of, and names that amused them immensely.

"22nd.—Evening Church service at Talbot's the Consul, at No. 1 American Hong. The ladies and a good number of gentlemen were present. At half-past nine we accompanied the former to show our fashionable street, Old China Street, its shops shut at that hour; but some Chinamen passing began to try out. 'Foreign devil women!' when instantly every door was opened and lanterns appeared. In less than ten minutes we were completely surrounded, and had to beat a hasty retreat. We were not at all molested; it was simply surprise and curiosity; and on arriving at the gate of the Hong everyone quietly dispersed.

"24th.—The Chinese are not so far out in calling us barbarians. Two, or three from No. 2 Sun-Hong called on the ladies. Coats, gloves, and cravats—such cravats! I heard one say when he returned, 'Thank God that is over!' and then call for jacket and black neck-ribbon! He next lighted a cheroot, and looked as if a great burthen were off his mind. In the evening dined at Charles N. Talbot's; all bachelors, of course! A fine little party; but I dissipated too much, and the sooner bedtime comes the better. Bad habit of dining out in this country; I think I shall swear off, no getting home without being observed! I hope the ladies in No. 1 did not see me come in!

"30th.—The ladies took their departure this evening. They went on board the boat that was to convey them, escorted by all the American gentlemen. While returning from Jackson Point an inveterate bachelor said, 'I hope we shall never be bothered with ladies in Canton again!' but he was a notoriously crusty old fellow."

TITLES OF DISTINCTION.

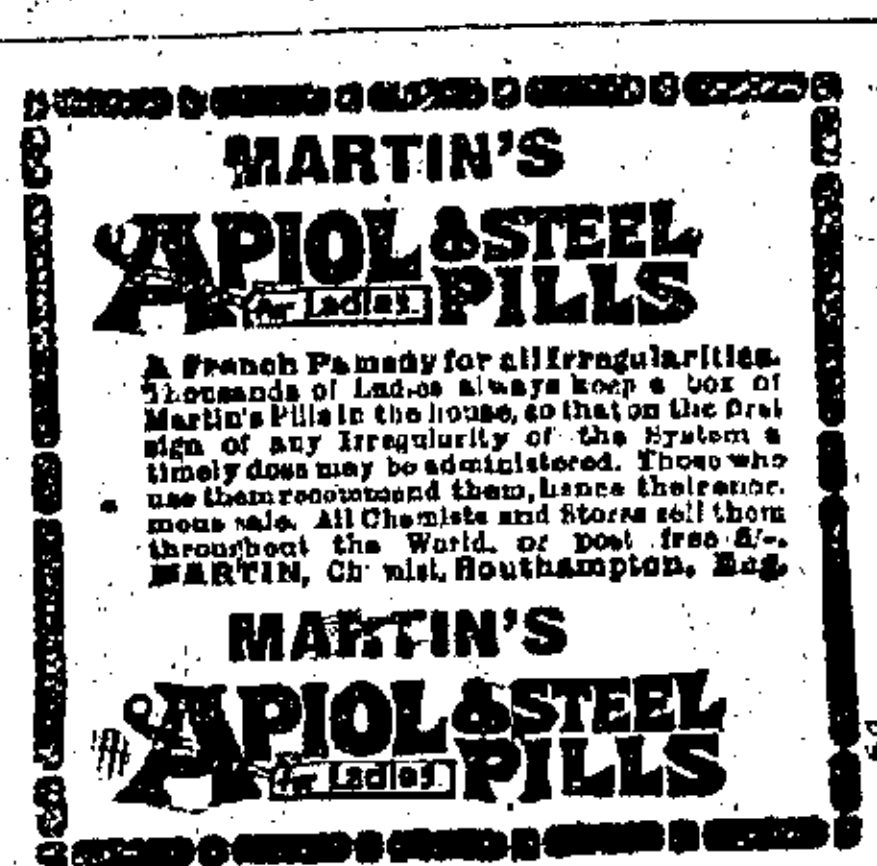
WEIRD AMERICAN "DEGREES."

The American Government is investigating bogus educational institutions, which thrive on the traffic in degrees, and, by publishing an authorised list of recognised colleges, classified in relation to their standards, will give the public a chance of discriminating between the real and the false. Dr. Babcock, who is directing the inquiry for the United States Bureau of Education, says that the fake colleges, established in America, for selling degrees to anybody and everybody willing to pay cash, have largely developed in the last ten years. Some fake colleges and universities have lately given vigorous exercise to their imagination in devising new kinds of degrees, with attractive titles. For example, there is a degree of "B.H.," which stands for Bachelor of Humanities; "M.H.," is "Master of Humanities;" and "B.P.E.," is "Bachelor of Physical Education," which is suitable for a graduate in boxing. "B.A.A." signifies "Bachelor of Accounts," and anybody who has a taste for aviation may become "B.Aer.," signifying "Bachelor of Aeronautics." Not a few correspondence schools call themselves universities or colleges, and distribute degrees with the utmost liberality. It is noted by Dr. Babcock that of thirty-nine degrees held by the faculty at one of these schools, eighteen were unanimously bestowed by the school itself. The principal centres of the fake degree industry are Washington, the birthplace of legislation, and Chicago, famous for embalmers' best.

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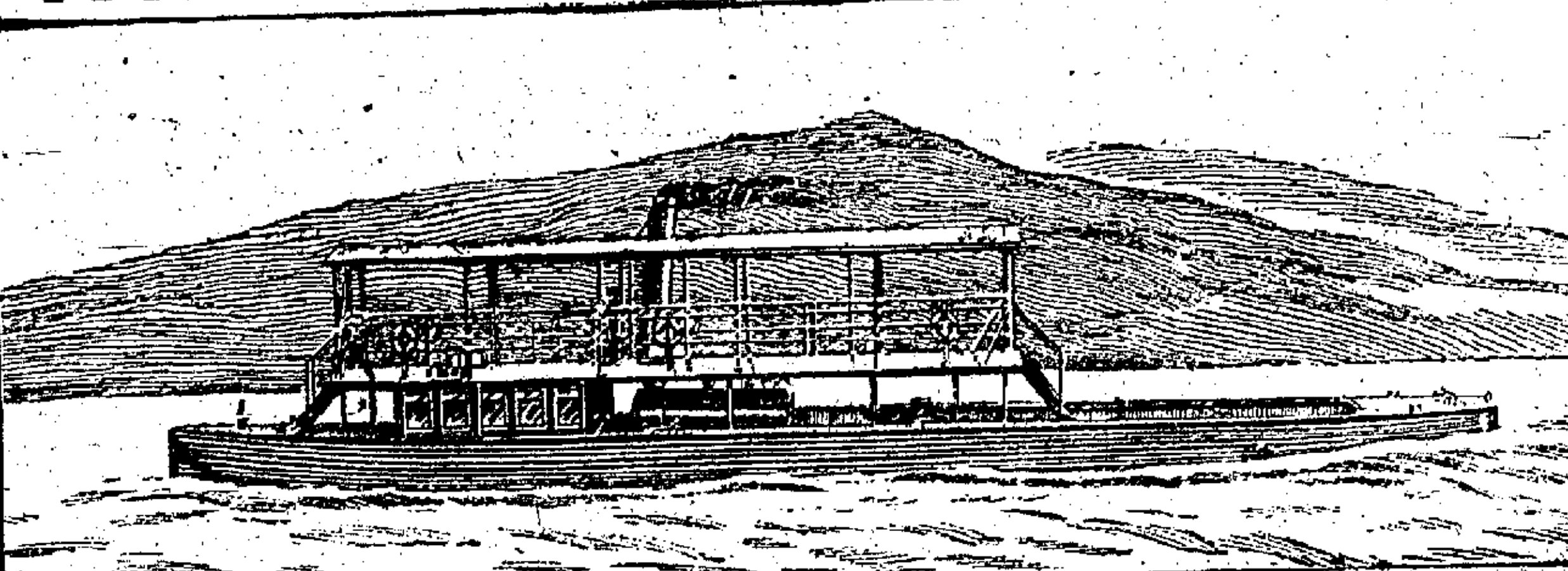
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SCIENTIFIC MISCELLANY.

A HELPFUL INVASION.

The sudden springing up of a great small colony in Ceylon is a curious phenomenon lately brought to notice by E. E. Green, a British zoologist. The *Acetabularia foliosa*, a giant snail of East Africa, was introduced about ten years ago by a collector in the central highlands, but was afterwards exterminated, as was supposed. Some specimens seem to have escaped, for the snails have lately appeared in millions over an area of about five square miles in the low country. As many as 227 have been counted in a cluster on a six-foot length of coconut stem. Much alarm was aroused by this strange invasion, but it now appears that, instead of destroying crops, this great army has performed rather useful work as scavengers. This species has become abundant in parts of India where it was introduced about 50 years ago and in Mauritius.

NEED OF SALT.

While all herbivorous animals—wild or domestic—require much salt, or sodium chloride, it appears that carnivora do not take more than a third or fourth as much with their food. Prof. Bunge, of Basle, noting the richness of a vegetable diet in potassium, suggests that the need for extra salt may result from loss due to the introduction of sodium chloride and potassium carbonate. By a double decomposition, chloride of potassium and carbonate of sodium are formed. The blood will contain an excess of carbonate of sodium, which will be eliminated by the kidneys, and more chloride will be necessary to make good the loss. On a diet of potatoes alone, a man would take 40 grams of potassium daily, which he could not do without salt.

NEW ORNAMENTAL STONES.

New trade names for minerals and rocks used for gems and ornaments include: apricotine, for yellowish quartz; crocodile, a purplish crystallized trap rock; ceruleo, a deep dolomite breccia; wabanite, a banded cream and chocolate stone; carnation and chrysocarnum, certain copper ores; chalcidite, beautiful Mexican calcamines.

A MACHINE MADE OF CONCRETE.

A potato-peeling machine is a rather unexpected product of the cement industry. An urn-shaped vessel of an inflexible concrete has in the bottom of its bowl a disc rotated through a belt gearing below, and as this turns the rough sides of bowl and disc rub off the potato skins, which are washed out at the bottom by several sprays of water. A door at the side being opened while the disc is still in motion, the potatoes are ejected by centrifugal force into a galvanized iron receptacle. With a one-half horse-power electric motor turning the disc 600 revolutions per minute, a peck of potatoes can be peeled in two minutes, and it is claimed that the saving in addition to that of labour includes 20 per cent of potato that is lost in hand peeling. The process must be finished by hand, as some irregular places and deep eyes can be removed only by the usual knife. The machine is cast upside down from cement mortar of easy pouring consistency, and the cast-iron mould of several sections includes a collapsible core for the bowl gear chamber.

ANOTHER RUBBER PLANT.

A new source of rubber in large amount has been reported by Jean Dzykowski, of the National Agricultural Institute of France, in the gum called pitoung, which is derived from an abundant plant of the Malay States. The 10 to 20 per cent of rubber in the gum is easily and inexpensively extracted, the process requiring but three or four hours, and the product can be sold at a low price. It is claimed, moreover, to be of superior quality. Several companies are said to be planning to make the new rubber, and a Russian factory is expected to supply 200 tons in 1911.

AN UNRELIABLE MEASURE OF TIME.

The radium test of the age of the rocks has been tried and found wanting. Street calculated that a definite amount of helium would be evolved annually for every gram of radium oxide present, and concluded that from this the time since the radium-bearing mineral crystallized could be determined by chemical analysis. Platts has now shown that the helium can be accounted for in a different way. He finds that fused minerals may absorb helium, and that at the time of their formation in a state of fusion the radioactive rocks may have taken up all or a part of the helium now contained.

CONCRETE BUILDING IN QUICKSAND.

A novel method of building up cement piles or supports in quicksand is the subject of a German patent. A pipe of suitable size has at its lower end an auger point and a helical screw blade, several holes being driven through the wall of the pipe just above the blade to permit the discharge of cement grout outward. By water pumped through the pipe, the apparatus is twisted into the sand, jets being used to aid the sinking if necessary. When the required depth has been reached, the grout is pumped into the pipe and the drill is turned backward to withdraw it. Flowing out along the face of the blade the cement becomes mingled with the sand directly above, and the turning screw passes the mixture to the space below. A cylindrical pile is thus built up in the semi-liquid sand. Others may be produced in the same way alongside the first, and these may be readily consolidated into very strong and substantial piers.

ARTIFICIAL FUR.

In the new French process of fur-making, the fur and the skin are utilized separately. The raw pelts being frozen, the skin is carefully shaved off, thawed, and sent to the tanneries for leather. A small portion of the length of the fur is then thawed, freeing the bottom ends of the hair from ice. This portion is coated with a solution of rubber, which

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A MAGNETIC ROVER.

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The Old World now has five "bird observatories"—at Rossitten on the Baltic, Riga, Heligoland, Budapest, and in Algeria. Captured birds are tagged with aluminium rings and released, and from recaptures much is being learned about bird migration.

AMERICA'S INTEREST IN CHINA.

Judge Rufus Thayer in an address at the University of Michigan Commencement Dinner after briefly outlining the history of China, said:

It is common that the people of the great empire of China should have been entirely satisfied with their isolation. Their experiences with foreign intruders had never been happy. Mischief and oppression and internal disturbances of a fairly balanced system had always followed invasion. The safe policy appeared to be to keep the foreigner on the threshold and turn him back. It needs no further statement to enable one to understand and appreciate the attitude which China has long maintained against the powerful Occidental nations.

But America has a great Pacific coast line. She is thus a neighbour. Friendly intercourse between the two countries follows on natural and logical lines. America has not only not demanded, but has consistently refused, any territorial concessions. America has never sought from China anything but fair treatment in trade relations and an open door for her citizens to engage in legitimate trade. America generously refused to China the Boxer Indemnity Fund now being expended in securing foreign education to a very large body of Chinese young men. The safety and security of American missionaries in China is practically guaranteed in our treaties. It only remains for these splendid men and women, who have dedicated their lives to the uplift of the citizens of this far eastern country, to exercise usual discretion and thus pursue their noble work with little fear of disturbance. This single existing cause of irritation is our exclusion of Chinese from the United States and the Philippines. Ultimately, I believe that question will receive a just solution. To that end thoughtful, patriotic and courageous citizens must lend their aid.

From this brief review of our relations with China, I deduce as a clearly settled fact that America's policy in China now and consistently has been characterized by a splendid altruism. China has suffered much from the ravages and had thirst of several of the great Powers. It should be a source of great pride to American citizens that their country has never participated in this harassment of a great people.

In a recent address, Secretary Knox has stated our present diplomatic policy with great clearness and accuracy. He said that our diplomatic policy "had not been based on expediency, nor been driven hither and thither by the variable winds of opportunism, and that it has, in its justice, generosity, moderation and candor, reflected the becoming attributes of a great people."

Such has been the consistent policy of the United States. It is not likely to be abandoned. Every encouragement should be given to the struggling people and statesmen of that empire to press on in administrative reform and in the development of her great natural resources. Her best resource is the potential greatness of her people. She is entitled to sympathy and hearty good wishes from every lover of mankind.

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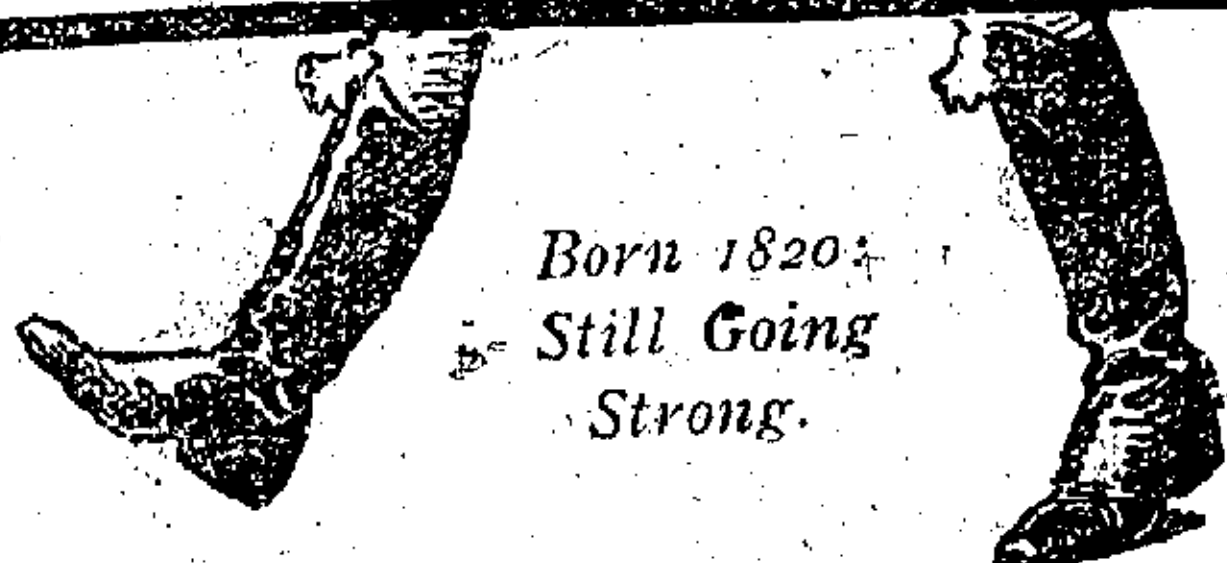
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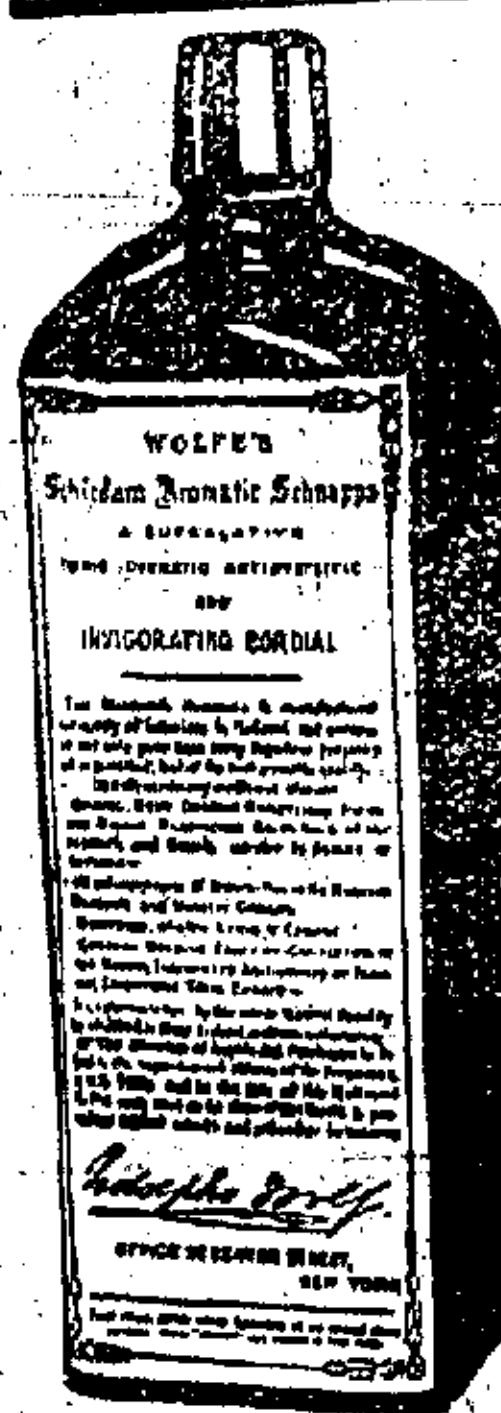
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THE HOUSE OF PENDREAR.

[By MILDRED WILCOX.]

CHAPTER XXXV.

It took Davenant some time to believe young Forest's amazing declaration. At first he put it entirely on one side as a mere figment of the imagination.

"Your name may be Charles Pendrear," he said, "and you may be some near relative of the last owner of the mansion, but you can hardly be his son and heir, seeing that someone has already proved his right to that position."

"Then he has proved it falsely. I tell you, Davenant, I know I am Charles Pendrear. I could prove it beyond a doubt. The moment I set foot in this house memory came back in a flash. This is the house where I was born, and where, after my mother's death, I was taken care of by my grandmother, Mrs. Allen, while my father, who had never taken any notice of my existence, was travelling—goodness knows where! I suppose I must have had the desire to roam born in me, for I left home at an early age and have been wandering about ever since. But I shall be glad to settle down now. I used to write home to the old lady, but I was never much of a correspondent, and the last year or so I was generally beyond the regions of the post, and am sorry to say I dropped out of the way of writing. Last year I had a touch of fever, and feeling I had had enough roving, I came back to Europe, seeing the continent before coming to Cornwall. I used to cycle from place to place, never anywhere for long. Then as you know, came the accident in Belgium, and my loss of memory. Are you satisfied that I am speaking the truth, that I am really Charles Pendrear?"

Davenant was silent, thinking hard. Then he said, "Yes, I am satisfied that you are the man you claim to be. But there is something wrong somewhere. Ralph Pendrear could not have two eldest sons, and if you are not an impostor, the other man must be. It is a matter that will necessitate legal proceedings; you had better communicate with their lawyers at once."

"Before doing so I would like to see this Charles Pendrear, see what sort of a fellow he is, and upon what grounds he has so successfully substantiated his claims. I suppose I shall have to do with law, and I've always had a speaking sympathy with stamps. I shall call on him tomorrow."

He spent the rest of the evening in entertaining Davenant with anecdotes of his boyhood's days, re-called to his memory by the sight of old familiar things. He, in his turn, had to be informed of his grandmother's tragic end, and if Davenant had had any doubts as to the genuineness of his claims they would have been at once dispelled by young Forest's reception of the news.

The next morning, at Forest's desire, Davenant accompanied him to Pendrear.

"Ah!" he said, as they found their way over the cliffs. "It is good to be here once again. Listen to the sound of the sea beating against the shore. Look at the great white clouds of foam! The stern, dark rocks! In all my wanderings I have seen nothing that appeals to me like this, perhaps because it is my home. Do you think Olive will like it too?" he added anxiously. "She will not think it dreary or remote? By Jove!" he broke off, as they neared the house. "Whoever this Pendrear may be he has done wonders for the old place; the grounds were nothing but a wilderness when I saw them last."

Lizzie Polperne opened the door.

"Yes, Mr. Pendrear was at home, but he was not very well, could they give a message?"

"My name is Forest," replied the younger man. "I want to see your master on important business."

"Very well, sir," Lizzie ushered the two men into the library, and went to deliver the message to her master.

"My own home!" said Forest. "And yet the first time I have ever been inside its walls. Look at all the portraits of my ancestors! By Jove! they were not a bad looking lot."

"You had better not say that unless you don't mind the sin of pride and conceit being laid to your charge. Just glance at the portrait of the man behind you. You are strikingly like him."

"Yes, there is a resemblance," said Forest, turning towards the picture. "Well, so much the better for me. I wonder when this fellow is coming. I'm awfully anxious to see him. Hallo!" He broke off as a step was heard outside the door. The next moment Charles Pendrear entered the room, thinner, paler, rather shorter perhaps, and less robust; but for all that Forest's living image! As he advanced towards the two men, he went white to the lips and for a moment his slight form seemed to sway; then with an effort he pulled himself together. His plea of indisposition, thought Davenant, had not been a mere excuse, the young man looked really ill.

"Good morning," he said, and "may I ask if you will be good enough to kindly explain the nature of your business?"

"Well," replied Forest, "that will not take me long. I think the explanation will rather lie with you. May I ask, in my turn, upon what grounds you have claimed the inheritance of this estate?"

"Certainly. Upon the very usual grounds—kinship with the previous owner, Ralph Pendrear."

"Am I right in understanding that he was your father—that you are his eldest son?"

Pendrear bowed a silent assent and Forest interchanged glances with his friend.

"As one of the family, myself, I am interested to know how you established your identity and your claim?"

"I should have thought that the fact of the lawyers having recognised my claim would have been sufficient," replied Pendrear. "However, if, as a member of the family, you wish for further details, it might interest you to know that I possessed all the legal documents and that all my statements as regards my past life were fully corroborated."

There was no unsteadiness in the low voice; no trace of hesitation or confusion in his manner. He stood with his dark head thrown back, his long slender hand resting upon the carved woodwork of the chair. Davenant, from his corner of the room was watching, very closely, every moment of the young man's slight form. During his last speech his grey eyes had never left Pendrear's face. He waited anxiously for what was coming next.

Forest gave a short laugh.

"Upon my word! You are a cool hand. I don't wonder you got over the lawyers—suppose I with that Pendrear face of yours to back you up. You would have made me believe that you were Ralph Pendrear's son and heir, only as it happens, I am he myself."

A tiny quiver of the eyelids was all the emotion Charles Pendrear showed, but Davenant noticed the long fingers clutched the chair more tightly.

"Indeed," he said, calmly. "That is rather a remarkable statement and one which I think you will find difficult to prove. May I ask how you are going to substantiate your claim?"

That was a question for which Forest had been prepared.

"I can bring plenty of witnesses to prove that I am the man I claim to be. You put forward your claim to the property last autumn, I can find plenty of people who can prove that I, the real heir, was at that time travelling in South America."

"You will not find it so easy as you think," Forest smiled.

"That remains to be proved."

"And the documentary evidence? What about that? I know that you can not have the papers relating to your supposed parentage, for I possess them all."

"There I own you have an advantage, but not such a tremendous one as you fancy. It is possible to obtain possession of such papers falsely, as I should have to prove has been the case. But on the other hand I shall have advantages on my side. You, I imagine, are not prepared to bring forward, say, half a dozen witnesses who have in past years known you under the name of Charles Pendrear?"

"That, as you would say, also remains to be proved."

"Then you mean to fight it out?"

"Yes, I mean to fight it out."

The words went off into a whisper, and the light form swayed and would have fallen had not Davenant darted forward and caught it in his arms.

"See if there is any brandy in the cupboard. Get it yourself, for Heaven's sake don't ring."

He was bending over the unconscious figure, rapidly unfastening collar and tie.

"He's pretty game," remarked Forest, pouring out the brandy. "I should like to know who the deuce the fellow is."

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After a close scrutiny of face and form he gave a long whistle of surprise, and a hasty glance at Davenant turned his surprise into certainty.

"By Jove! I believe it is a woman. Good Heavens! Davenant. I never guessed at such a probability. I fancy you are not surprised. When did you find it out?"

"Soon after she came into the room, shortly before she fainted."

"What put you on the track?"

"Oh, several little things. Something about her movements and her voice." She reminded me at once of—of someone that I knew; there were one or two identical little tricks of gesture; the truth suddenly flashed upon me."

"What on earth is to be done now? I cannot fight against a woman? She will see, now that her sex is discovered, that the game is up. 'Tis my word, she is a girl of spirit! You say you know her, Davenant?"

"She is the woman I love and whom I hope to make my wife."

"Good Heavens! This is worse! You will not now dream of marrying her?"

"On the contrary. I will marry her to-morrow, if she will have me. I have told you that I love her; nothing will alter that."

Forest drew a long breath, and then held out his hand.

"Good!" he said. "No act of mine shall wreck such love as that."

Meanwhile Ret's dark eyes were slowly opening and seeing Davenant's face about her the white lips murmured, "Austin."

"Yes, my darling. Stay where you are; you will be better soon."

"I am better now." Her gaze fell upon Forest, and his face told her that he knew the truth.

"I meant to brave it out—but I am beaten. You have won. Well, I am prepared to take the consequences."

She freed herself from Austin's arm and struggled to her feet.

Forest drew forward a chair.

"Sit down," he said. "And now, before we talk of consequences, supposing you tell us the entire story from the first."

Davenant's love would have spared Ret such a recital at this moment, but his sense of justice knew that she must make it at whatever cost. He stood by her chair and placed his hand upon her shoulder as a mutual assurance of his sympathy and presence.

"There is not a great deal to tell, but all that there is you should know, and of course have the right to know. My real name is not Ret Mayne, but Harriet Pemney. I am a connection of the Pendergasts, hence my resemblance to the family, and this house was my home for a few years when I was a child. When old Mr. Pendergast—your grandfather—died I was homeless and had to look for work. I got a engagement in a pantomime, and that led to my joining a third-rate theatrical troupe. I was with them for some years, leaving them to become the companion of Mrs. Allen, who was lonely after her grandson's departure and who had chanced to hear of my whereabouts. She

"None," my appearance and possession of the documents and my intimate knowledge of the surroundings at Sennen and events connected with your life there make my work quite easy. The greatest difficulty was the proviso attached to the will. I found out from the lawyers that, owing to his own suspicious nature and a deception practised upon him in the past, Ralph Pendrear had made it a condition that the income due from the investments and the estate was to be paid personally to his son at Pendrear on the first day of every alternate month. It was not, as you may guess, an easy condition for me to fulfil and led to many awkward situations."

"That explains a great deal," put in Austin. "Your mysterious absences from London on various occasions. I can hardly understand how you found it possible to live this dual life."

In spite of himself Austin's voice was stern. Much as he loved this woman, much as for her sake he voluntarily forgave and would forget, he could not put aside his aversion to deceit.

Reta was quick to notice the infection of his voice, and with a little sign made a movement to free her shoulder from his grasp. But, at once the pressure of his hand was tightened and raising her eyes to his face she met a grave but kindly smile that gave her reassurance.

"I found that way out of my difficulties," she continued, "by venting a house at Mitcham for the pedlar woman, Mrs. Lee, with the strict proviso that one room should be set apart for any of my friends who needed it, and no matter who came and went that no notice should be taken and no questions asked. In this way I was able to arrive there as Reta Mayne and depart as Charles Pendrear. I had all my letters forwarded there too. I found I was able to manage in this way very well, until at last James Trengroun discovered my secret. He met me here, as Charles Pendrear, and I think by means of a strong American accent I put him off the scent. The next day he got into my compartment at Bristol and travelled with me as far as London. I had a fancy that he was a little suspicious, but he had then no idea of the truth. One day his taxi followed my cab from Jaffa House to Mitcham. He saw me get out at Rose Cottage as Reta Mayne, and he saw me come out half an hour afterwards as Charles Pendrear. He knew then that they were one and the same person. He recognised the valise he had seen when travelling with me from Penzance, also the loose-fitting ulster which I wore in both my characters, hoping by this means to make the difference less noticeable between the woman who went into Rose Cottage and the man who came out. Trengroun threatened to expose me unless—"

"Unless you consented to marry him!" interrupted Darnant. "So that was the reason of your promise?"

Thank God! You can, at any rate, be free from him."

"I did not so much dread the punishment of the law, though I naturally shrank from it—I—the scorn and contempt of these I—I—loved."

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place to me in a very different condition to what I remember it. But as to letting you go free—I can't quite say that."

He looked into her face and smiled; that smile which was so essentially a part of the Pendrears and had won for them so many hearts. "I hand her over to you, Dayenant, take her into custody.

"I am wicked and unworthy." There was no pride in Reta's voice now, as she turned towards her lover. "But—will you—will you take me, Austin?"

She felt his arms fold round her as Charles Pendrear quietly left the room.

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Steamer	Tons	1 P.M. SATURDAY	Steamer	Tons	SATURDAY	FRIDAY
ASSAYE	7500	February 3	MANTUA	11000	March 2	March 8
HIMALAYA	7000	February 17	MACEDONIA	10500	March 16	March 22
DELHI	8000	March 2	MOREA	11000	March 30	April 5
INDIA	8000	March 16	Through Steamer		April 13	April 19
DEVANHA	8000	March 30	MOLDAVIA	11000	April 27	May 3
DELTA	8000	April 13	MALJOJA	12500	May 11	May 17
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The *Kwangtung*, with the Siberian Mail, is due to arrive here to-morrow.The *Calcuttan*, with the Siberian Mail, is due to arrive here on Monday, the 25th inst.

FOR	PER	DATE
Shanghai	Glasgow	Saturday, 23rd, 9.00 A.M.
Swatow, Amoy, and Anping	Soshu Maru	Saturday, 23rd, 9.00 A.M.
Manila	Loongang	Saturday, 23rd, 1.00 P.M.
(Taking Mails for Cebu and Iloilo)		
Macao	Sui Tai	Saturday, 23rd, 1.15 P.M.
Swatow and Bangkok	Wangko	Saturday, 23rd, 5.00 P.M.
		Registration, Kowloon B.O. ... 3.00 P.M.
		Printed Matter and Samples ... 4.00 P.M.
		Registration ... 3.15 P.M.
		(Registration, with late fee of 10 cents, up to 4.00 P.M.)

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Chingkiang	Yueh	Saturday, 23rd, 5.00 P.M.
Shanghai	Limen	Saturday, 23rd, 5.00 P.M.
Amoy and Singapore	Loong	Sunday, 24th, 9.00 A.M.
Swatow, Amoy, and Tamsui	Daigi Maru	Sunday, 24th, 9.00 A.M.
Haiphong	Hanoi	Monday, 25th, 11.00 A.M.
Singapore, Penang, and Calcutta	Yokohama	Monday, 25th, 1.00 P.M.
Macao	Sui Tai	Monday, 25th, 1.15 P.M.
Samarang and Sourabaya	Clara Jehsen	Tuesday, 26th, 10.00 A.M.
Tientsin, Chefoo, and Tientsin	Chipping	Tuesday, 26th, 10.00 A.M.
Manila (Taking mails for Cebu and Iloilo)		
Zamboanga, Thursday Island, Cooktown, Cairns, Townsville, Brisbane, Sydney, Hobart, Launceston, New Zealand, Melbourne, Adelaide, Dunedin, Perth, and Fremantle	Chungsha	Tuesday, 26th, 10.00 A.M.
Swatow and Shanghai	Hanpang	Tuesday, 26th, 10.00 A.M.
		Printed Matter and Samples ... 10.00 A.M.
		Registration ... 10.00 A.M.
		(Registration, with late fee of 10 cents, up to 10.45 A.M.)

EUROPE, A.C. INDIA VIA TETICORIN. Late Letters 11.00 A.M. to NOON. Extra Postage 10 cents. Letters posted in all the Pillar Boxes in time for the first clearance will be included in this contract mail.

Swatow, Amoy, and Foochow	Hayang	Tuesday, 26th, NOON
Macao	Sui Tai	Tuesday, 26th, 1.15 P.M.
Manila, Cebu, and Iloilo	Teon	Tuesday, 26th, 3.00 P.M.
Singapore, Penang, and Colombo	Komo Maru	Tuesday, 26th, 5.00 P.M.
Fort Bayard and Haiphong	Si-Kiang	Wednesday, 27th, 8.00 A.M.
Sandakan	Chunwang	Wednesday, 27th, 11.00 A.M.
Nagasaki, Kobe, and Yokohama	Kumano Maru	Wednesday, 27th, 11.00 A.M.
Shanghai, Kobe, and Moji	Kutang	Wednesday, 27th, 11.00 A.M.
Macao	Sui Tai	Wednesday, 27th, 1.15 P.M.
Weihsaiwei, Chefoo, and Tientsin	Nansang	Thursday, 28th, 11.00 P.M.
Singapore, Penang, and Calcutta	Sui Tai	Thursday, 28th, 1.15 P.M.
Macao	Chinghua	Thursday, 28th, 3.00 P.M.
Shanghai	Koongsang	Friday, 29th, 11.00 A.M.
Manila (Taking Mails for Cebu and Iloilo)		
Thursday Island, Cooktown, Cairns, Townsville, Brisbane, Sydney, Hobart, Launceston, New Zealand, Melbourne, Adelaide, Dunedin, Perth, and Fremantle	Nikko Maru	Friday, 29th, 11.00 A.M.

SHANGHAI, NAGASAKI, KOBE, YOKOHAMA, SHIMIZU, YOKOHAMA, HONOLULU, AND SAN FRANCISCO SIBERIAN MAIL TO EUROPE

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COMMERCIAL.

EXCHANGE

CLOSING QUOTATIONS.

September 22nd.	
ON LONDON—	
Telegraphic Transfer	1/9 1/2
Bank Bills, on demand	1/9 1/2
Bank Bills, at 30 days' sight	1/9 1/2
Bank Bills, at 4 months' sight	1/9 1/2
Credits, at 4 months' sight	1/9 1/2
Documentary Bills 4 months' sight	1/10 1/2
ON PARIS—	
Bank Bills, on demand	225 1/2
Credits, at 4 months' sight	225 1/2
ON GERMANY—	
On demand	183 1/2
ON NEW YORK—	
Bank Bills, on demand	44 1/2
Credits, at 60 days' sight	44 1/2
ON BOMBAY—	
Telegraphic Transfer	433 1/2
Bank, on demand	134
ON CALCUTTA—	
Telegraphic Transfer	133 1/2
Bank, on demand	134
ON SHANGHAI—	
Bank, at sight	75 1/2
Private, 30 days' sight	76
ON YOKOHAMA—	
On demand	87 1/2
ON MANILA—	
On demand	76 1/2
ON BATAVIA—	
On demand	107 1/2
ON HAIPHONG—	
On demand	12 1/2 p.m.
ON SAIGON—	
On demand	1 1/2 p.m.
ON HONGKONG—	
On demand	86
SOVEREIGNS, Bank's Buying Rate	\$11.10
GOLD LEAF, 100 fine, per tola	\$57.80
BAR SILVER, per oz.	24 1/2
SUBSIDIARY COINS.	
Chinese	20 cents pieces, \$5.28 discount.
Hongkong	10 " \$5.82
Hongkong	20 " \$5.04
Hongkong	10 " \$5.35

SHARE LIST.—QUOTATIONS. HONGKONG, SEPTEMBER 22nd, 1911.

STOCKS.	NO. OF SHARES.	VALUE.	PAID UP.	CLOSING QUOTATIONS CASH.
BANKS—				
Hongkong & Shanghai Bank Corporation	120,000	\$125	all	\$890, sellers
China Borneo Company, Limited	60,000	\$12	all	\$284 10/-
China Light and Power Company, Limited	50,000	\$5	all	\$101, sellers
China Provident, Loan & Mortgage Co., Ltd.	80,000	\$1	all	\$1.50
COTTON MILLS—				
Ewo Cotton Spinning & Weaving Co., Ltd.	20,000	Tls. 50	all	Tls. 87 1/2
Hongkong Cotton Spinning Co., Ltd.	125,000	Tls. 70	all	\$5
International Cotton Manufacturing Co., Ltd.	10,000	Tls. 15	all	Tls. 44
Loou-King-Mow C. Spinning & Weaving Co., Ltd.	8,000	Tls. 100	all	Tls. 60
Soy Chee Cotton Spinning Co., Limited	20,000	Tls. 50	all	Tls. 24
Dairy Farm Company, Limited	40,000	\$7 1/2	all	\$23 1/2, buyers
SHIPPING—				
H'kong & Kowloon Wharf & G. Co., Ltd.	60,000	\$50	all	\$50
Hongkong & Whampoa Dock Co., Ltd.	50,000	\$50	all	\$51
New Amoy Dock Co., Limited	10,000	\$6 1/2	all	\$7, sellers
Shanghai Dock and Engineering Co., Ltd.	55,700	Tls. 100	all	Tls. 58, buyers
Shanghai and Hongkong Wharf Co., Ltd.	36,000	Tls. 100	all	Tls. 83
Green Island Cement Co., Limited	400,000	\$10	all	\$24, buyers
Hongkong & China Gas Co., Limited	7,000	\$20	all	\$200
Hongkong Electric Co., Limited	60,000	\$10	all	\$21 1/2, buyers
Hongkong Hotel Company, Limited	12,000	\$50 1/2	all	\$119, buyers
Manila Metropole Hotel Limited	15,000	\$25	all	\$72
Hongkong Ice Company, Limited	15,000	\$10	all	\$165, sellers
Hongkong Rope Manufacturing Co., Limited	60,000	\$10	all	\$18, sales
H'kong & South China Steam Fisheries Co., Ltd.	15,000	\$10	all	\$7
INSURANCES—				
Canton Insurance Office Co., Limited	10,000	\$250	all	\$211, buyers
China Fire Insurance Co., Limited	20,000	\$100	all	\$212, buyers
China Trade Insurance Co., Limited	24,000	\$83.33	all	\$25
Hongkong Fire Insurance Co., Limited	8,000	\$250	all	\$357 1/2, buyers
North China Insurance Co., Limited	10,000	\$15	all	Tls. 162 1/2
Union Insurance Society, Limited	12,400	\$250	all	\$823, buyers
Yangtze Insurance Association, Limited	12,300	\$100	all	\$225, @ Ex 73
LANDS AND BUILDINGS—				
Hongkong Land Invest. Agency Co., Ltd.	50,000	\$100	all	\$100
Humphreys' Estate and Finance Co., Ltd.	150,000	\$10	all	\$73
Kowloon Land and Building Co., Ltd.	78,000	Tls. 50	all	\$28, sellers
Shanghai Land Investment Co., Limited	12,500	\$50	all	Tls. 96 1/2
West Point Building Co., Limited				\$45 1/2, buyers
Mining—				
Société Française des Charbonnages du Tonkin	16,000	Fes. 250	all	\$700
Raub Australian Gold Mining Co., Ltd.	20,000	\$1	all	\$2.90, buyers
Peak Tramways Co., Limited	25,000	\$10	all	\$11 1/2, sellers
Philippine Co., Limited	50,000	\$10	all	\$1.00, buyers
REFINING—				
China Sugar Refining Co., Limited	20,000	\$100	all	\$135, buyers
Laxon Sugar Refining Co., Limited	7,000	\$100	all	\$27 1/2, buyers
STEAMSHIP COMPANIES—				
China and Manila Steamship Co., Ltd.	30,000	\$25	all	\$11 1/2, buyers
Douglas Steamship Co., Limited	20,000	\$50	all	\$24, buyers
Hongkong, Canton & Macao S.B. Co., Ltd.	80,000	\$15	all	\$26, buyers
Indo-China Steam Navigation Co., Ltd.	60,000 pref.	\$5	all	\$60, L/don.
Shell Transport & Trading Co., Limited	2,500,000	\$1	all	\$1, L/don.
Star Ferry Company, Limited	10,000	\$10	all	\$1, L/don.
South China Morning Post, Limited	10,000	\$25	all	\$1, L/don.
Steam Laundry Company, Limited	20,000	\$5	all	\$6, buyers
BROKERS AND DISPENSARIES—				
Campbell, Moore & Co., Limited	1,200	\$10	all	\$12, buyers
Wm. Powell, Limited	15,000	\$7	all	\$44, buyers
Watkins, Limited	10,000	\$10	all	\$23, buyers
A. S. Watson & Co., Limited	90,000	\$10	all	\$5 1/2, sales
Weissmann, Limited	3,000	\$10	all	\$15, buyers
H. Price & Co., Ltd.	15,000	\$10	all	\$12, buyers
United Asbestos Oriental Agency, Limited	9,900 ordy.	\$10	all	\$4
Union Waterboat Co., Limited	100 ficers	\$10	all	\$300
	50 ficers	\$10	all	\$7, sal. & bu.

Daily Wire			
Para Rubber in London	Amount.	Value.	Interest.
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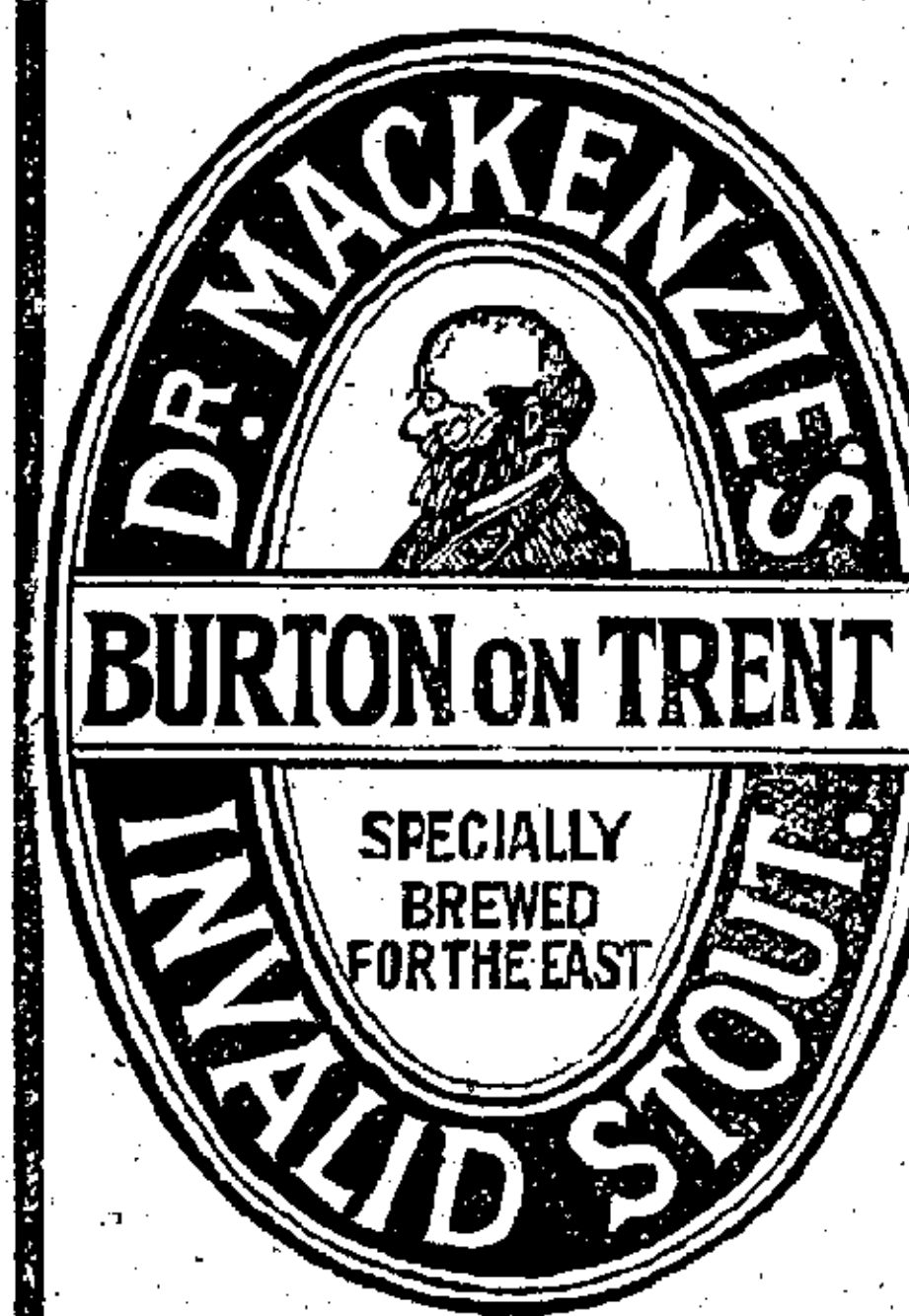
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12.15 P.M.—Extraordinary General Meeting of Douglas Steamship Co., Ltd.

4 P.M.—Annual Swimming Sports at Victoria Recreation Club.

9.15 P.M.—Boxing at the Victoria Skating Rink.

FORTHCOMING EVENTS.

Monday, 25th Sept.—Auction of Crown Land at Tai Ping Shan, by Public Works Dept., 3 P.M.

Tuesday, 26th Sept.—Annual General Meeting of Hongkong St. Andrew's Society, in the City Hall, 5.30 P.M.

Thursday, 28th Sept.—Annual General Meeting of Kowloon Cricket Club in the Club Pavilion, 5.15 P.M.

Friday, 29th Sept.—Annual General Meeting of Hongkong Cricket Club, at Pavilion, 6 P.M.

Saturday, 30th Sept.—Boxing at the City Hall, 9 P.M.

Saturday, 7th Oct.—Half-Yearly Meeting of Hongkong Jockey Club, Noon.

Saturday, 7th Oct.—Fifteenth Ordinary Yearly Meeting of The Dairy Farm Co., Ltd., 12.30 P.M.

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